

remain when consideration resumes on Wednesday, April 23.

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Referrals: Two Senate-passed measures were referred to the appropriate House committees.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: No quorum calls or votes developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 4:05 p.m.

Committee Meetings

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense held a hearing on fiscal year 1987 Defense Posture. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Caspar W. Weinberger, Secretary; and Adm. William J. Crowe, Jr., USN, Chairman, Joint Chiefs of Staff.

HUD—INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on HUD—Independent Agencies held a hearing on Department of Housing and Urban Development. Testimony was heard from Alfred C. Moran, Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development, Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior held a hearing on Bureau of Indian Affairs. Testimony was heard from Ross O. Swimmer, Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

LABOR—HHS—EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor—HHS—Education held a hearing on Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission; National Labor Relations Board; Prospective Payment Assessment Commission; and on National Commission on Libraries and Information Science. Testimony was heard from E. Ross Buckley, Chairman, Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission; Donald Dotson, Chairman, National Labor Relations Board; Stuart Altman, Chairman, Prospective Payment Assessment Commission; and Eleanor Hashim, Chairman, National Commission on Libraries and Information Science.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation concluded hearings on Federal Aviation Administration. Testimony was heard from Donald D. Engen, Administrator, FAA, Department of Transportation.

INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES IN THE HEALTH CARE SYSTEM

Committee on Science and Technology: Subcommittee on Investigations and Oversight held a hearing on Information Technologies in the Health Care System. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OMNIBUS TRADE LEGISLATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade met to consider omnibus trade legislation.

Will continue tomorrow.

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Senate

Chamber Action

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Measures Introduced: Eleven bills and four resolutions were introduced, as follows: S. 2347–2357, S.J. Res. 328–329, S. Con. Res. 133, and S. Res. 386.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

H.R. 739, relating to the documentation of the vessel *Marilyn* to be employed in the coastwise trade, with an amendment in the nature of a substitute and an amendment to the title. (S. Rept. No. 99–284)

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Measures Passed:

National Alzheimer's Disease Month: Senate passed S.J. Res. 280, to designate the month of November, 1986, as "National Alzheimer's Disease Month".

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National Birds of Prey Month: Senate passed S.J. Res. 288, to designate the month of May, 1986, as "National Birds of Prey Month".

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1988, Year of New Sweden: Senate passed S.J. Res. 289, to designate 1988 as the "Year of New Sweden" and to recognize the New Sweden '88 American Committee.

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National Child Safety Month: Senate passed S.J. Res. 293, to designate the month of May, 1986, as "National Child Safety Month".

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Mental Illness Awareness Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 298, designating the week of October 5-11, 1986, as "Mental Illness Awareness Week".

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National Agricultural Export Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 310, proclaiming June 15-21, 1986, as "National Agricultural Export Week".

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National Medical Laboratory Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 312, designating the week beginning April 13, 1986, as "National Medical Laboratory Week".

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National Hospice Month: Senate passed S.J. Res. 317, designating the month of November, 1986, as "National Hospice Month".

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National Diabetes Month: Senate passed S.J. Res. 318, designating November, 1986, as "National Diabetes Month".

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National Down's Syndrome Month: Senate passed S.J. Res. 321, designating October, 1986, as "National Down's Syndrome Month".

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National Digestive Diseases Awareness Week: Senate passed S.J. Res. 324, designating the week beginning May 18, 1986, as "National Digestive Diseases Awareness Week".

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Commending John N. McMahon: Senate agreed to S. Con. Res. 133, commending John N. McMahon, Deputy Director of Central Intelligence, on his retirement from an extraordinary career of public service.

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Congressional Budget Resolution for 1987: Senate continued consideration of S. Con. Res. 120, setting forth the congressional budget for the United States Government for fiscal years 1987, 1988, and 1989.

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Senate will continue consideration of the concurrent resolution and amendments proposed thereto on Wednesday, April 23. Any rollcall votes on S. Con. Res. 120 ordered after 3:30 p.m., will occur on Thursday.

Reappointment of Carlisle H. Humelsine: Senate concurred in the amendments of the House to S.J. Res. 214, to provide for the reappointment of Carlisle H. Humelsine as a regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

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Reappointment of William G. Bowen: Senate concurred in the amendments of the House to S.J. Res. 215, to provide for the reappointment of William G. Bowen as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.

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Messages From the President: Senate received the following messages from the President of the United States:

(1) Transmitting the fiscal year 1987 Budget of the District of Columbia; which was referred to the Committee on Appropriations. (PM-135)

(2) Transmitting a notice stating that the Nicaraguan emergency is to continue in effect beyond May 1, 1986; which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs. (PM-136)

(3) Responding to Congress concerning a report of the Administrator of the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention entitled "Ninth Analysis and Evaluation of Federal Juvenile Delinquency Programs," which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. (PM-137)

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Nominations Received: Senate received the following nominations:

Ronald F. Lehman II, of Virginia, for the rank of Ambassador during his tenure of service as United States Negotiator for Strategic Nuclear Arms.

Alan E. Norris, of Ohio, to be United States Circuit Judge for the Sixth Circuit.

John G. Davies, to be United States District Judge for the Central District of California.

Douglas P. Woodlock, to be United States District Judge for the District of Massachusetts.

David Hittner, to be United States District Judge for the Southern District of Texas.

2 Army nominations in the rank of general.

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Messages From the President:

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Additional Statements:

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Recess: Senate convened at 11 a.m. and recessed at 6:35 p.m., until 10 a.m., on Wednesday, April 23, 1986. (For Senate program, see the remarks of Senator Dole in today's Record on page 8327.)

Committee Meetings

FEDERAL INSECTICIDE, FUNGICIDE, AND RODENTICIDE ACT

Committee on Agriculture, Nutrition, and Forestry: Committee held hearings on S. 2346, authorizing funds for programs of the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act, receiving testimony from Jack Moore, Assistant Administrator, Pesticides and Toxic Substances, Environmental Protection Agency; Karen Darling, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Agriculture for Marketing and Inspection Service; Jack Early and Carl J. Kensil, both representing the National Agricultural Chemicals Association, Nancy Drebbel, Public Citizens Congress Watch, Mark A. Maslyn, American Farm Bureau Federation, and Jay Feldman, National Coalition Against the Misuse of Pesticides, all of Washington, D.C.; Al Meyerhoff, Natural Resources Defense Council, San Francisco, California; and Ron D. White, Texas State Department of Agriculture, Austin.

Hearings continue on Wednesday, April 30.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Agriculture, Rural Development, and Related Agencies continued hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1987 for the Department of Agriculture, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Daniel G. Amstutz, Under Secretary for International Affairs and Commodity Programs, Peter C. Myers, Assistant Secretary for Natural Resources and Environment, Wilson Scaling, Chief, Soil Conservation Service, Milton Hertz, Acting Administrator, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service, Melvin E. Sims, General Sales Manager, Food for Peace Program (P.L. 480), Joan S. Wallace, Administrator, Office of International Cooperation and Development, and Tom O. Kay, Administrator, Foreign Agricultural Service, all of the Department of Agriculture.

Subcommittee will meet again on Tuesday, April 29.

APPROPRIATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Foreign Operations held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1987 for the Department of State, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from James N. Purcell, Jr., Director, Bureau for Refugee Programs, Ann Wroblewski, Acting Assistant Secretary for International Narcotics Matters, and Parker W. Borg, Principal Deputy Director, Office for Counter-Terrorism and Emergency Planning, all of the Department of State.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, May 1.

APPROPRIATIONS—NAVAJO-HOPI INDIAN RELOCATION COMMISSION/SURFACE MINING

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1987, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Ralph Watkins, Chairman, Navajo-Hopi Indian Relocation Commission; and Jed D. Christensen, Acting Director, Office of Surface Mining, Department of the Interior.

Subcommittee will meet again on Thursday, April 24.

APPROPRIATIONS—GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education and Related Agencies held hearings on proposed budget estimates for fiscal year 1987, receiving testimony in behalf of funds for their respective activities from Gen. George H. McKee, USAF (Ret), Governor, U.S. Soldiers and Airmen's Home; Stuart Altman, Chairman, Prospective Payment Commission; Robert A. Gielow, Chairman, Railroad Retirement Board; Donald L. Dotson, Chairman, and Rosemary M. Collyer, General Counsel, both of the National Labor Relations Board; Walter C. Wallace, Chairman, and Helen M. Witt and Charles L. Woods, both Members, all of the National Mediation Board; E. Ross Buckley, Chairman, Occupational Safety and Health Review Commission and Kay McMurray, Director, Federal Mediation and Conciliation Service.

Subcommittee will meet again tomorrow.

NUCLEAR LICENSING REFORM

Committee on Energy and Natural Resources: Committee concluded hearings on S. 2073, to require the Nuclear Regulatory Commission to establish procedures, standards, and criteria for preapproved sites and standardized designs for nuclear powerplants and to revise the procedures for issuing construction and operating licenses, after receiving testimony from John S. Herrington, Secretary of Energy; Nunzio J. Palladino, Chairman, and Thomas M. Roberts, Frederick M. Bernthal, and Lando W. Zech, Jr., all Commissioners, all of the Nuclear Regulatory Commission; Richard P. Priory, Duke Power Company, Charlotte, North Carolina; Shelby T. Brewer, Combustion Engineering, Inc., Windsor, Connecticut; Daniel R. Wilkins, General Electric Company, San Jose, California; James S. Moore, Westinghouse Electric Corp., Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; Sherwood H. Smith, Jr., Carolina Power and

Light Company, Raleigh, North Carolina; and Keith L. Turley, Arizona Public Service Company, H. Richard Seibert, Jr., National Association of Manufacturers, Michael E. Faden, Union of Concerned Scientists, Howard B. Friend, Bechtel Power Corporation, and John A. Anderson, The Electricity Consumers Resource Council, all of Washington, D.C.

COLORADO RIVER FLOODWAY

Committee on Environment and Public Works: Subcommittee on Water Resources concluded hearings on S. 1696, to establish a Federally-declared floodway for the Colorado River, after receiving testimony from Senator DeConcini; C. Dale Duvall, Commissioner, Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior; Frank H. Thomas, Assistant Administrator, Federal Insurance Administration, Federal Emergency Management Agency; Col. Edward A. Starbird, Deputy Director of Civil Works, Pacific Division, U.S. Army Corps of Engineers; Vernon Valantine, Colorado River Board of California, Los Angeles; Gerald R. Zimmerman, Upper Colorado River Commission, Salt Lake City, Utah; Anthony Drennan, Sr., Colorado River Indian Tribes, Parker, Arizona; Jack Rose, Mohave County Board of Supervisors, Kingman, Arizona; and Edward Osann, National Wildlife Federation, Washington, D.C.

U.S.-CANADA FREE TRADE/TAX REFORM

Committee on Finance: Committee began consideration of a committee resolution disapproving United States/Canada free trade negotiations, and resumed markup of proposed legislation providing for revisions in Federal tax laws, but did not complete action thereon, and will meet again tomorrow.

NOMINATION

Committee on Finance: Committee concluded hearings on the nomination of William L. Roper, of Alabama, to be Administrator of the Health Care Financing Administration, Department of Health and Human Services, after the nominee, who was introduced by Senator Heflin, testified and answered questions in his own behalf.

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Committee on Foreign Relations: Committee continued oversight hearings to review the activities of the Agency for International Development, receiving testimony from Jay F. Morris, Deputy Administrator, Ain Kivimae, Deputy Assistant to the Administrator, and Ray Love, Deputy Assistant Administrator for Africa, all of the Agency for International Development; David Shear, ORT International Corporation, Washington, D.C.; James L. Collom, Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana; and Elliott R. Morss, Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

TELEPHONE SYSTEM FOR THE SENATE

Committee on Rules and Administration: Committee met in open and closed sessions and approved the selection of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company as the vendor to provide an on-site telephone system for the Senate.

NATIVE AMERICAN PROGRAMS

Select Committee on Indian Affairs: Committee concluded hearings on S. 1991, to authorize funds for fiscal years 1987-1990 for Native American programs, after receiving testimony from William Lynn Engles, Commissioner, Administration for Native Americans, Department of Health and Human Services; Calvin Lay, Nashville, Tennessee, on behalf of the United South and Eastern Tribes, and the Seneca Nation of New York; Karl Funke, Funke & Associates, Washington, D.C.; David Lester, Council of Energy Resource Tribes, and Gregory Frazier, National Urban Indian Council, both of Denver, Colorado; and A. Van Horn Diamond, Alu Like, Honolulu, Hawaii.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 16 public bills, H.R. 4650-4665; 1 private bill, H.R. 4666; and 9 resolutions, H.J. Res. 607-610, H. Con. Res. 322, and H. Res. 427-430, were introduced.

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Reports Filed: Reports were filed as follows:

H. Res. 428, providing for the consideration of H.R. 4421, to authorize appropriations for fiscal years 1987, 1988, 1989, and 1990 to carry out the Head Start, Follow Through, dependent care, community services block grant, and community food and nutrition programs (H. Rept. 99-549);

H. Res. 429, providing for the consideration of H.R. 3302, to designate certain national forest lands in the State of Nevada for inclusion in the National Wilderness Preservation System (H. Rept. 99-550); and

H.R. 4175, to authorize appropriations for fiscal year 1987 for certain maritime programs of the Department of Transportation and the Federal Maritime Commission, amended (H. Rept. 99-551).

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Outside Earned Income: House agreed to H. Res. 427, amending the Rules of the House of Representatives to increase the amount of outside earned income which a Member may accept.

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Service Academy Appointments: House passed H.J. Res. 604, providing for appointment to the service academies of children of members of the Armed Forces killed in the military action against Libya on April 15, 1986.

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Committee To Sit: Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs received permission to sit today during proceedings of the House under the 5-minute rule.

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Committee Resignation/Appointment: Read and accepted a letter from Representative Burton of Indiana wherein he resigns as a member of the Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families.

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Subsequently, the Speaker appointed Representative Cobey as a member of the Select Committee on Children, Youth, and Families, to fill the existing vacancy thereon.

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World Food Day: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 296, to designate October 16, 1986, as "World Food Day".

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Arts Education: House passed H.J. Res. 470, to designate the week of April 27, 1986 through May 3, 1986, as "National Arts in the Schools Weeks".

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Jewish Heritage Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 275, designating May 11 through May 17, 1986, as "Jewish Heritage Week".

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Soviet Jewry: House agreed to H. Res. 420, to express the sense of the House of Representatives concerning Solidarity Sunday for Soviet Jewry.

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Reading Week: House passed and cleared for the President S.J. Res. 286, to designate the week of April 20, 1986 through April 26, 1986, as "National Reading Is Fun Week".

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Barrier Awareness: House passed H.J. Res. 544, to designate May 7, 1986, as, "National Barrier Awareness Day."

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Martin Luther King, Jr., Holiday Commission: House passed and cleared for the President S. 2319, to provide for the continuation of the Martin Luther King, Jr., Federal Holiday Commission until 1989.

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Plague Control: By a yea-and-nay vote of 246 yeas to 155 nays, Roll No. 88 (two-thirds of those present not voting in favor), the House failed to suspend the rules and pass H.R. 4392, to amend the Public Health Service Act to provide Federal financial as-

sistance for the control of plague. This measure was debated on Monday, April 21.

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Bank Bribery Amendments: House agreed to Senate amendments numbered 1 and 2; and agreed, with an amendment, to Senate amendment numbered 3 to H.R. 3511, to amend title 18, United States Code, with respect to certain bribery and related offenses—returning the measure to the Senate.

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Supplemental Appropriations: By a yea-and-nay vote of 187 yeas to 220 nays, Roll No. 89, the House failed to agree to H. Res. 425, waiving certain points of order against consideration of H.R. 4515, making urgent supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1986.

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Military Retirement Reform: By a recorded vote of 399 yeas to 7 nays, Roll No. 92, the House passed H.R. 4420, to amend title 10, United States Code, to revise the retirement system for new members of the uniformed services.

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Agreed to the committee amendment in the nature of a substitute.

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Agreed to the Montgomery amendment that authorizes the expenditure of \$285 million of unauthorized appropriations for National Guard and Reserve equipment procurement (agreed to by a recorded vote of 374 yeas to 35 nays, Roll No. 91).

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The Clerk was authorized to make necessary clerical and technical corrections in the engrossment of H.R. 4420.

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H. Res. 421, the rule under which the bill was considered, was agreed to earlier by a yea-and-nay vote of 403 yeas to 1 nay, Roll No. 90.

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Presidential Messages: Received and read the following messages from the President:

D.C. budget: Message transmitting the fiscal year 1987 budget of the District of Columbia—referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered printed (H. Doc. 99-206);

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Nicaraguan emergency: Message wherein he notifies Congress that he is extending the Nicaraguan emergency—referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and ordered printed (H. Doc. 99-207); and

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Juvenile delinquency: Message transmitting the Ninth Analysis and Evaluation of Federal Juvenile Delinquency Programs—referred to the Committee on Education and Labor and ordered printed (H. Doc. 99-208).

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Referral: One Senate-passed measure was referred to the appropriate House committee.

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Quorum Calls—Votes: Three yea-and-nay votes and two recorded votes developed during the proceedings of the House today and appear on pages 8341, 8348, 8352, 8372, 8374. There were no quorum calls.

Adjournment: Met at noon and adjourned at 7:24 p.m.

Committee Meetings

FUTURES TRADING ACT

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Conservation, Credit, and Rural Development approved for full Committee action amended H.R. 4613, Futures Trading Act of 1986.

IMPORTED TOBACCO

Committee on Agriculture: Subcommittee on Tobacco and held a hearing on the status of regulations relating to certification of pesticides used on imported tobacco. Testimony was heard from the following officials on the USDA: James C. Handley, Administrator, Agricultural Marketing Service; Lionel Edwards, Director, Tobacco Division; Thomas M. Walsh and Robert Erdman, both with the Office of the General Counsel.

DEFENSE APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Defense met in executive session to hold a hearing on Chemical Weapons and Reprogramming for Expendable Launch Vehicle. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Thomas J. Welch, Deputy Assistant to the Secretary (Chemical Matters); and Maj. Gen. Donald J. Kutyna, USAF, Office of the Air Force Deputy Chief of Staff for Research and Development.

The Subcommittee also held a hearing on Guard and Reserve. Testimony was heard from James H. Webb, Assistant Secretary, Reserve Affairs, Department of Defense.

HUD—INDEPENDENT AGENCIES APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on HUD—Independent Agencies continued hearings on Department of Housing and Urban Development. Testimony was heard from Samuel R. Pierce, Jr., Secretary of Housing and Urban Development.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

INTERIOR APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Interior concluded hearings on Bureau of Indian Affairs.

Testimony was heard from Ross O. Swimmer, Assistant Secretary for Indian Affairs, Department of the Interior.

LABOR—HHS—EDUCATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Labor—HHS—Education held a hearing on Corporation for Public Broadcasting; and on the United States Institute of Peace. Testimony was heard from Martin Rubenstein, President and Chief Executive Officer, Corporation for Public Broadcasting; and John Norton Moore, Chairman, Board of Directors, United States Institute of Peace.

TRANSPORTATION APPROPRIATIONS

Committee on Appropriations: Subcommittee on Transportation continued appropriation hearings. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

IMPROVEMENTS IN THE TRUTH-IN-NEGOTIATIONS ACT

Committee on Armed Services: Acquisition and Procurement Policy Panel held a hearing on improvements in the Truth-in-Negotiations Act. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of Defense: Donald Kinlin, Senior Trial Attorney, Department of the Air Force; and Derek VanderSchaaf, Deputy Inspector General; and a public witness.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Ordered reported amended the following bills: H.R. 4510, Export-Import Bank Act Amendments of 1986; H.R. 4574, to alleviate the international debt crisis, expand world trade, and promote stability in the international financial system; and H.R. 2373, to improve the industrial competitiveness of the United States.

YOUNG ASTRONAUT PROGRAM MEDAL ACT

Committee on Banking, Finance and Urban Affairs: Subcommittee on Consumer Affairs and Coinage approved for full Committee action H.R. 2578, Young Astronaut Program Medal Act.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—JOB CORPS

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Employment Opportunities held an oversight hearing on the Job Corps. Testimony was heard from Roger D. Semerad, Assistant Secretary, Employment

and Training Administration, Department of Labor; and public witnesses.

PARENTAL AND MEDICAL LEAVE ACT

Committee on Education and Labor: Subcommittee on Labor-Management Relations and the Subcommittee on Labor Standards held a joint hearing on H.R. 4300, Parental and Medical Leave Act of 1986. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

UNAFFORDABILITY AND UNAVAILABILITY OF LIABILITY INSURANCE

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Commerce, Transportation and Tourism continued hearings on the unavailability and unaffordability of liability insurance. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

EMERGENCY PLANNING ISSUES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Energy Conservation and Power held a hearing regarding the Federal Emergency Management Agency's treatment of emergency planning issues for the Shoreham nuclear power plant. Testimony was heard from Julius Becton, Director, Federal Emergency Management Agency; and Frank Petrone, former Regional Administrator, Federal Emergency Management Agency.

ANGOLA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Africa approved for full Committee action H.R. 4276, to require that any U.S. Government support for military or paramilitary operations in Angola be openly acknowledged and publicly debated.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on this legislation. Testimony was heard from Representatives Hamilton and Dornan of California.

POLICIES AND PROGRAMS TO COMBAT TERRORISM

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Arms Control, International Security and Science, Subcommittee on International Operations and the Subcommittee on Aviation of the Committee on Public Works and Transportation held a joint hearing on the effectiveness of U.S. Government policies and programs to combat the increased threat of Libyan and other state-sponsored terrorism. Testimony was heard from John Whitehead, Deputy Secretary, Department of State; and from the following officials of the Department of Transportation: Matthew Scozza, Assistant Secretary, Policy and International Affairs; and Anthony J. Broderick, Associate Administrator for Aviation Standards, FAA.

PROHIBITING ARMS SALE TO SAUDI ARABIA

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Europe and the Middle East approved for full Committee action H.J. Res. 589, prohibiting the proposed sales of certain missiles to Saudi Arabia.

Prior to this action, the Subcommittee held a hearing on the proposed arms sale to Saudi Arabia, including consideration of H.J. Res. 589. Testimony was heard from Representative Levine of California; Richard W. Murphy, Assistant Secretary, Bureau of Near Eastern and South Asian Affairs, Department of State; and Robert Pettetreau, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Near East and South Asian Affairs, Department of Defense.

ALLEGATIONS CONCERNING DR. KURT WALDHEIM

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on Human Rights and International Organizations held a hearing on allegations concerning Dr. Kurt Waldheim. Testimony was heard from Representative Solarz; Gerhard Waldheim, son of Kurt Waldheim; and public witnesses.

OVERSIGHT—EXPORT TRADING COMPANY ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held an oversight hearing on the Export Trading Company Act of 1982. Testimony was heard from Frederick R. Dahl, Associate Director, Division of Banking Supervision and Regulation, Federal Reserve Board; James W. Lacy, Director, Office of Export Trading Company Affairs, Department of Commerce; and public witnesses.

EXPORT ENHANCEMENT ACT

Committee on Foreign Affairs: Subcommittee on International Economic Policy and Trade held a hearing on the Export Enhancement Act of 1986. Testimony was heard from Bruce Smart, Under Secretary for International Trade, Department of Commerce.

GENERAL REVENUE SHARING AUTHORIZATION; DRAFT REPORTS

Committee on Government Operations: Ordered reported amended H.R. 1400, to extend the authorization of appropriations for general revenue sharing for 5 years.

The Committee also approved the following draft reports: Luxury Ship Travel by State Department and U.S. Information Agency Employees; A Flagrant Misuse of the Taxpayers' Money; Overpricing of Defense Contracts is Extensive, Expensive, and Avoidable; Misuse of Government Equipment in Defense Production; Clandestine Manufacturing of

Dangerous Drugs; Electronic Collection and Dissemination of Information by Federal Agencies: A Policy Overview; Farm Credit Administration's Role in the System's Crisis; and Federal Grazing Programs: All Is Not Well on the Range.

FINANCIAL FIRMS AND HOLDING COMPANIES

Committee on Government Operations: Subcommittee on Commerce, Consumer and Monetary Affairs held a hearing on the Structure and Regulation of Financial Firms and Holding Companies. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Department of the Treasury: George D. Gould, Under Secretary; and Robert L. Clarke, Comptroller of the Currency; L. William Seidman, Chairman, FDIC; and Edwin J. Gray, Chairman, Federal Home Loan Bank Board.

RESTORATION OF THE STATUE OF LIBERTY

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on National Parks and Recreation held an oversight hearing on the restoration and development of the Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island National Monument. Testimony was heard from Mary R. Hamilton, Regional Manager, New York Regional Office, GAO; Denis Galvin, Deputy Director, National Park Service, Department of the Interior; and a public witness.

INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS

Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs: Subcommittee on Public Lands held a hearing on H.R. 4568, to clarify certain authorities of the Secretary of the Interior and of the Advisory Council on Historic Preservation. Testimony was heard from Richard T. Montoya, Assistant Secretary, Territorial and International Affairs, Department of the Interior; John Fowler, Acting Executive Director, Advisory Council on Historic Preservation; and public witnesses.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE AUTHORIZATION

Committee on the Judiciary: Ordered reported amended H.R. 4356, Department of Justice Appropriation Authorization, fiscal year 1987.

OVERSIGHT

Committee on the Judiciary: Subcommittee on Civil and Constitutional Rights held an oversight hearing on U.S. Commission on Civil Rights/GAO Audit. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the Commission on Civil Rights: Clarence M. Pendleton, Jr., Chairman; Morris Abram, Vice Chair; Robert Destro and Mary Frances Barry, both Commissioners.

COMMUNITY SERVICES PROGRAMS AMENDMENTS

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing one hour of debate on H.R. 4421, Community Services Programs Amendments of 1986. Makes in order the Education and Labor Committee amendment in the nature of a substitute now printed in the bill as original text for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule, and each section shall be considered as having been read. Provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Representatives Kildee and Tauke.

NEVADA WILDERNESS PROTECTION ACT

Committee on Rules: Granted an open rule providing one hour of debate on H.R. 3302, Nevada Wilderness Protection Act of 1985. Makes in order an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of H.R. 4642 in lieu of the committee amendment in the nature of the substitute now printed in the bill for the purpose of amendment under the five-minute rule. The substitute shall be considered by title, and each title shall be considered as having been read. Waives all points of order against the substitute for failure to comply with the provisions of clause 7, Rule XVI (prohibiting non-germane amendments) and clause 5(a), Rule XXI (prohibiting appropriations in a legislative bill) against the substitute. No amendment to the bill or to said substitute shall be in order except amendments printed in the Congressional Record prior to their consideration and pro forma amendments for the purpose of debate. Provides one motion to recommit with or without instructions. Testimony was heard from Representatives Seiberling, Vento, Reid, Vucanovich and Marlenee.

POLICIES FOR BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH

Committee on Science and Technology: Science Policy Task Force held a hearing on Policies for Biomedical Research. Testimony was heard from the following officials of the NIH, Department of Health and Human Services: Dr. Joseph F. Rall, Deputy Director, Intramural Research; Dr. William F. Raub, Deputy Director, Intramural Research and Training; and Dr. Jay Moskowitz, Associate Director, Program Planning and Evaluation; and public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

FAA OVERSIGHT

Committee on Science and Technology: Subcommittee on Transportation, Aviation and Materials held an oversight hearing on the FAA fiscal year 1987 Research, Engineering and Development Budget request. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Hearings continue tomorrow.

VETERANS' HEALTH CARE PROGRAMS

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Subcommittee on Hospitals and Health Care held a hearing on legislation to revise and extend veterans' health care programs. Testimony was heard from Dr. John A. Gronvall, Deputy Chief Medical Director, VA; representatives of veterans' organizations; and public witnesses.

MEDICARE CONTRACTING

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Health held a hearing on medicare contracting. Testimony was heard from Mike Zimmerman, Associate Director, Human Resources Division, GAO; and Kevin Moley, Acting Associate Administrator, Operations, Department of Health and Human Services.

WORK OPPORTUNITIES PROGRAM FOR AFDC RECIPIENTS

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Public Assistance and Unemployment Compensation continued hearings on work, education and training opportunities for AFDC recipients. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

OMNIBUS TRADE LEGISLATION

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade continued to meet to consider omnibus trade legislation.

Will continue tomorrow.

INTELLIGENCE AUTHORIZATION

Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Subcommittee on Budget and Program Authorization met in executive session to begin mark up of the Intelligence authorization for fiscal year 1987.

HUNGER AND THE ELDERLY

Select Committee on Hunger: and the Select Committee on Aging held a joint hearing on Hunger and the Elderly. Testimony was heard from Rosalie Abrams, Director, Office of Aging, State of Maryland; Debbie Steelman, Associate Director, Human Resources, Veterans and Labor, Office of Management and Budget; and public witnesses.

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Wednesday, April 23, 1986

Senate**Chamber Action**

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Measures Introduced: Five bills and one resolution were introduced, as follows: S. 2358-2362, and S. Res. 387.

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Measures Reported: Reports were made as follows:

S. Res. 374, limiting the amount that may be expended by Senators for mass mailings during the remainder of fiscal year 1986, with amendments and an amendment to the title. (S. Rept. No. 99-285)

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Measures Passed:

National Guard and Reserve: Senate passed H.J. Res. 220, reaffirming Congress' recognition of the vital role played by members of the National Guard and Reserve in the national defense, after agreeing to the following amendment proposed thereto:

Wilson-Goldwater Amendment No. 1799, extending the deadline relating to obligations of funds from military personnel accounts of the Department of Defense.

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Authorizing Senate Legal Counsel: Senate agreed to S. Res. 387, authorizing Senate Legal Counsel to represent David F. Zorensky in connection with his testimony in *In Re Possible Violations of 18 U.S.C. § 1001*, before a Federal grand jury in the United States District Court for the District of Columbia.

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Congressional Budget Resolution for 1987: Senate continued consideration of S. Con. Res. 120, setting forth the congressional budget for fiscal years 1987, 1988, and 1989, taking action on amendments proposed thereto as follows:

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Adopted:

Andrews Amendment No. 1798, to add additional funds for education programs and to offset the increased outlays with increased revenues. (By 60 yeas to 38 nays (Vote No. 77), Senate tabled the amendment.)

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Rejected:

By 14 yeas to 83 nays (Vote No. 76), Domenici-Chiles modified Amendment No. 1797, to provide for the termination or substantial reduction of 43 domestic programs.

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Pending:

Moynihan Amendment No. 1800, to modify the treatment of the general revenue sharing program.

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Senate will continue consideration of the concurrent resolution and amendments proposed thereto on Thursday, April 24.

Appointments by the Vice President: The Presiding Officer, on behalf of the Vice President, pursuant to 22 U.S.C. 276h-276k, as amended, appointed